

How to Upload Documents

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It is recommended that you **NOT** use public computers to conduct business that involves entering personal information or passwords. If you must use a public computer to log into the Medicaid Self-Service Portal, be sure to keep your personal information and password private. It is recommended that you use the "private browsing" mode, delete the web activity after use and close Internet browser windows completely.

Introduction

Starting in June 2019, people who apply for or get Louisiana Medicaid can submit documents, such as proof of income, online through the Self-Service Portal (SSP). Use this guide to help upload documents in the SSP. The guide will explain the following:

- Section 1: When do I submit documents to Medicaid?
- Section 2: How do I set up an account and log into the Self-Service Portal?
- Section 3: How do I submit documents if I have a pending application?
- Section 4: How do I submit documents if I have an existing Medicaid case?
- Section 5: How do I know if Medicaid received documents I submitted in the SSP?
- Section 6: How do I link an existing Medicaid case to an SSP account?
- Section 7: Types of Documents

Section 1 – When Do I Submit Documents to Medicaid?

Medicaid will send you a letter when they need documents to verify the information you reported. They will only request items they need to determine if case members qualify for Medicaid. The most common thing that Medicaid will ask for is proof of income, like check stubs from a job. If you have access to the internet on a computer, mobile device or smartphone, you can scan documents or take pictures of documents and submit them online in the Louisiana Medicaid Self-Service Portal (SSP).

Section 2 – How Do I Set Up an Account and Log into the Self-Service Portal (SSP)?

To upload documents in the Self-Service Portal (SSP), you must create an account in the SSP. Medicaid may need documents if you've applied for Medicaid or if you currently get Medicaid benefits. The first step is to log into the SSP.

Subsection 2.1 – How to Get to the Self-Service Portal

- 1. Go to www.healthy.la.gov on your computer, mobile device or smartphone.
- 2. In the middle of the page, a blue box reads **Apply/Renew Medicaid**. Click on this box.
- 3. Clicking the Apply/Renew Medicaid button will take you to the Self-Service Portal.

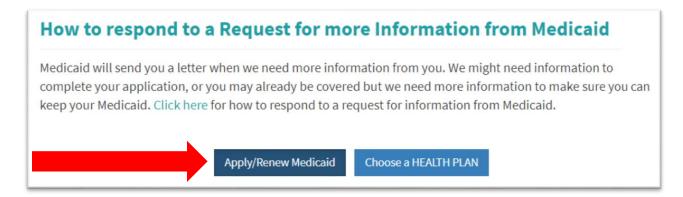


Figure 1 - Healthy.la.gov homepage

Subsection 2.2 – How to Set Up an Account

If you already have an account, skip ahead to <u>Subsection 2.3 – How to Log In</u>. If you followed the steps in <u>Subsection 2.1 – How to Get to the Self-Service Portal</u>, you clicked the **Apply/Renew** button and are now at the Self-Service Portal. The picture you see may be different from the one you see below.

Click on the link labeled, "I would like to create an account."



Figure 2-SSP Homepage

Follow the steps below.

- A. You will see the **Before You Create an Account** screen. This will tell you what you need to get started, including that:
 - You will need an email address and access to that email. To finish creating your
 account we will send an email to you to be sure we have the right contact for your
 account. That is the last step to create your account. There are links to websites you
 can visit if you want to create an email account.
 - You will need to provide a user ID, password and a six-digit PIN number. Be sure to save the user ID, password and PIN in a safe place. You will need them later. DO NOT use your email address as your User ID.
- B. Click **Next** in the bottom right corner of the screen to move to the **Create an Account** screen. There are three sections you must fill out to create an account:
 - **Step 1**: Personal Information you will enter your name, email address and phone number.
 - **Step 2**: Account Credentials you will provide a User ID, password and PIN of your choice. The screen will tell you about system requirements for these fields.

- **Step 3**: Security Check enter the letters and numbers from the image to prove you are not a robot.
- C. Click the **Create an Account** button. You will get an email from Medicaid asking you to click a link to finish creating your account. Click the link in the email to finish setting up your account.

Subsection 2.3 - How to Log In

Log in at the <u>Self-Service Portal</u>. There are two places to log in (see below). The picture on the webpage may be different from the one you see below.

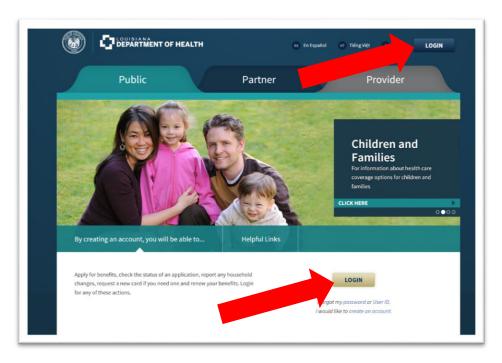


Figure 3-SSP Homepage

If you do not remember your User ID or your Password, the Login page gives you an opportunity to get those from Medicaid.

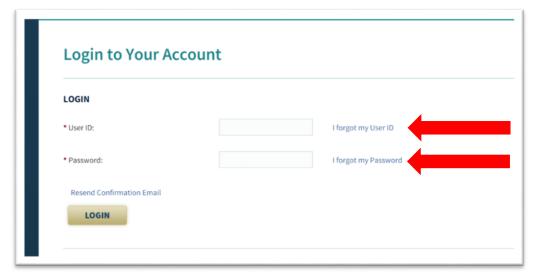


Figure 4-SSP Login page

Section 3 – How Do I Submit Documents If I Have a Pending Application?

If you created an account in the Self-Service Portal (SSP) and applied for Medicaid, you can submit documents through the SSP.

- **Step 1**: Log in using the steps in <u>Subsection 2.3 How to Log In</u>.
- **Step 2**: Click on My Applications.

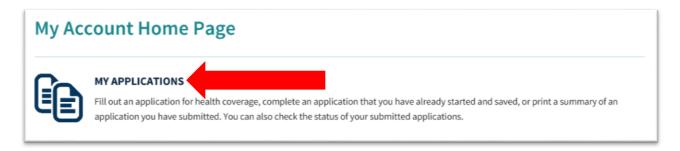


Figure 5 - My Account Home Page

Step 3: If Medicaid needs documents to verify what you reported, you will see the word **View** in the column titled **Requested Verification**. Click on the word **View** to see a popup screen with a summary of the items Medicaid needs from you.

To submit the electronic document, click on **Upload**.

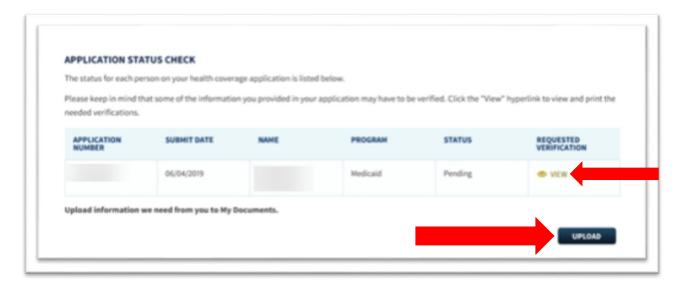


Figure 6 – Application Status Check

The **Upload a Document** page displays.

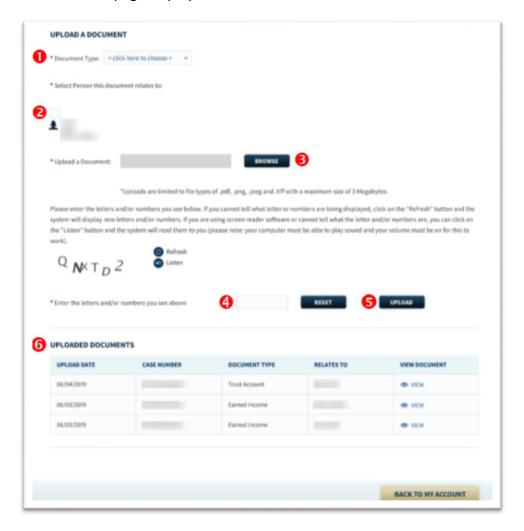


Figure 7 - Upload a Document Page

Step 4: Complete the screen titled, "Upload a Document."

- Olick the drop-down next to **Document Type** and choose the type of document you will upload. For a list of examples of these types of documents, see the table on page 21.
 - a. Earned Income
 - b. Unearned Income
 - c. Medical Bills
 - d. Medical Records
 - e. Treatment for Breast or Cervical Cancer
 - f. Transfer of Resource Acknowledgment
 - g. Date of Death Info
 - h. Health Coverage Details
 - i. Immigration Status
 - j. Pregnancy
 - k. Social Security Number

- I. US Citizenship
- m. Bank Account(s)
- n. Burial Plot
- o. Life Insurance
- p. Real Property
- q. Stocks Bonds
- r. Trust Account
- s. Vehicle Value
- t. Other Resource
- u. Other Document
- 2 Check the box next to the person to whom this document relates.
- 6 Click the **Browse** button. Find and select the file on your computer or device.
- Enter the numbers and letters shown in the box to prove you are not a robot.
- 6 Click Upload.
- The **Uploaded Documents** table displays at the bottom of the screen. You may need to scroll down to see this section. Click the link titled **View** to see the document that you uploaded.

Section 4 – How Do I Submit Documents if I Have an Existing Medicaid Case?

If you have an existing Medicaid case and a Healthy Louisiana card, you can link your Medicaid case to your Self-Service Portal (SSP) account. Then you can submit documents through the SSP. If you have not linked your Medicaid case to your SSP account, see instructions in <u>Section 6 – How Do I Link an Existing Medicaid Case to an SSP Account?</u> to link your case.

If you do not have a Healthy Louisiana card but you have applied for Medicaid in the SSP, use the instructions in <u>Section 3 - How Do I Submit Documents If I Have a Pending Application?</u> to submit documents.

Subsection 4.1 – How to Submit a Document through "My Documents"

After you link your Medicaid case to your Self-Service Portal (SSP) account, you can submit documents through the SSP. First, log in at the <u>Self-Service Portal</u>.

Step 1: Click on My Documents.

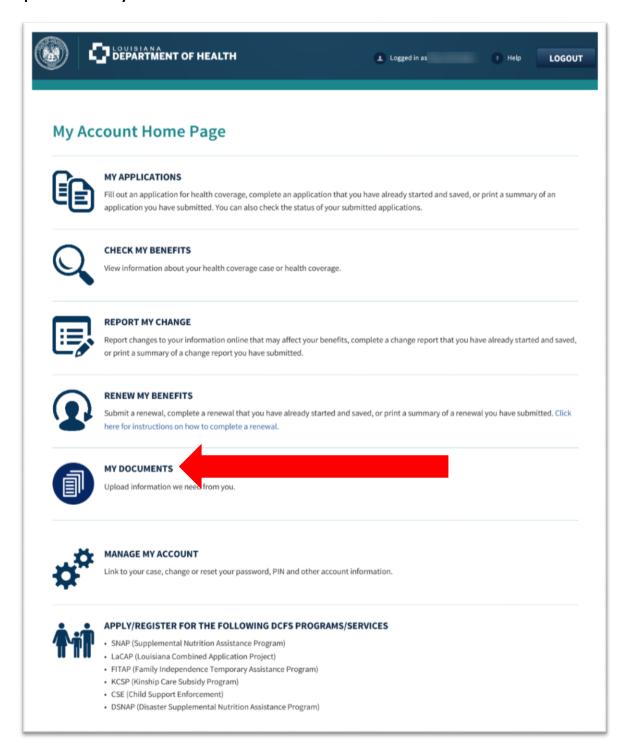


Figure 8-My Account Home Page

The **My Documents** screen appears.

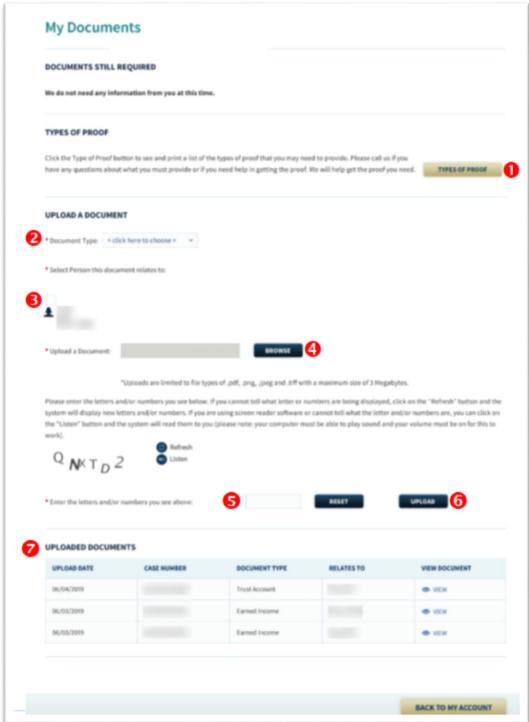


Figure 9-My Documents Page

Step 2: Complete the fields on the My Documents screen.

If you click on the button titled **Types of Proof**, you will see a **Required Verification** popup screen that lists the verifications that Medicaid needs.



Figure 10 - Required Verification Popup

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 - s. Vehicle Value
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 - u. Other Document
- **3** Check the box next to the person to whom this document relates.
- 4 Click the **Browse** button. Find and select the file on your computer or device.
- **5** Enter the numbers and letters in the box to prove you are not a robot.
- 6 Click Upload.
- The **Uploaded Documents** table displays at the bottom of the screen. You may need to scroll down to see this section. Click the link titled **View** to see the documents that you uploaded.

Subsection 4.2 – How to Submit a Document through "Check My Benefits"

After you link your Medicaid case to your Self-Service Portal (SSP) account, you can submit documents through the SSP. First, log in at the <u>Self-Service Portal</u>.

Step 1: Click on Check My Benefits.

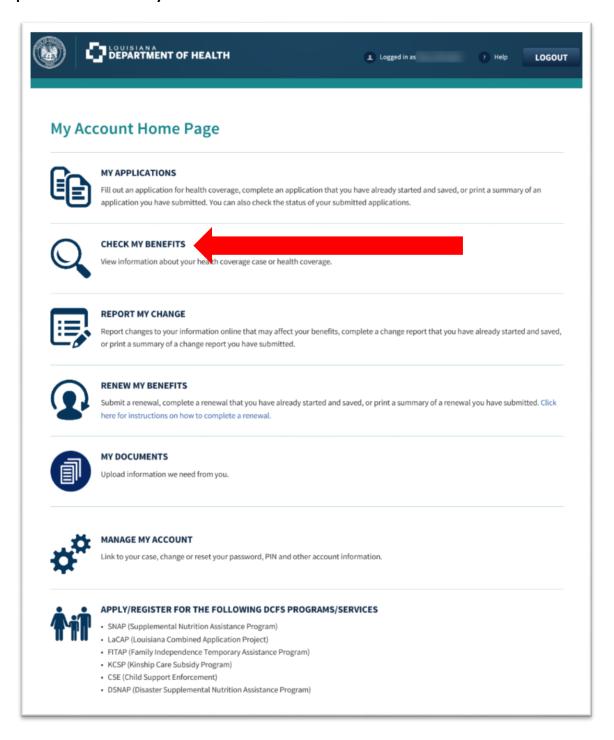


Figure 11-My Account Home Page

The Check My Benefits screen appears.

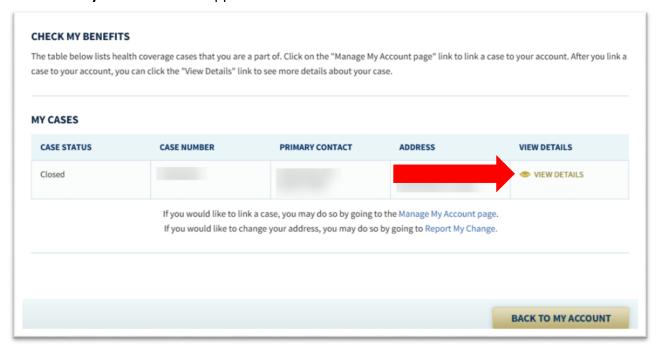


Figure 12-Check My Benefits Page

Click on View Details.

The Case Details Screen appears.

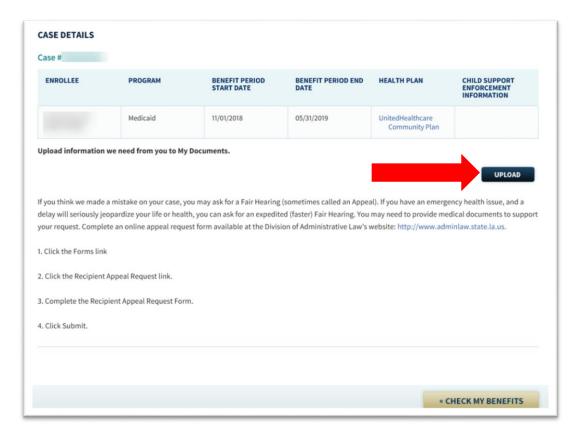


Figure 13 - Case Details page

Click on Upload.

The **Upload a Document** page displays.

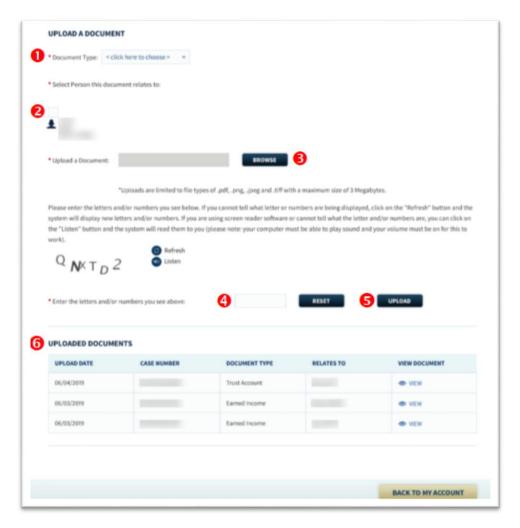


Figure 14 - Upload a Document page

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- 2 Check the box next to the person to whom this document relates.
- 3 Click the **Browse** button. Find and select the file on your computer or device.
- **4** Enter the numbers and letters in the box to prove you are not a robot.
- 6 Click Upload.
- **6** The list of documents shows up in the **Uploaded Documents** table at the bottom of the screen. You may have to scroll to get to the table. Click on **View** to see the document that you uploaded.

Section 5 – How Do I Know If Medicaid Received Documents I Uploaded in the SSP?

This option is only available for users who have a Medicaid case that they have linked to an account in the Self-Service Portal (SSP). If you do not have a Medicaid case, but you have applied in the SSP, see instructions in <u>Section 3: How Do I Submit Documents if I Have a Pending Application?</u> to check the status of documents.

Step 1: Log into the SSP. See Subsection 2.3 How to Log In for help with logging in.

The My Account Home Page displays.

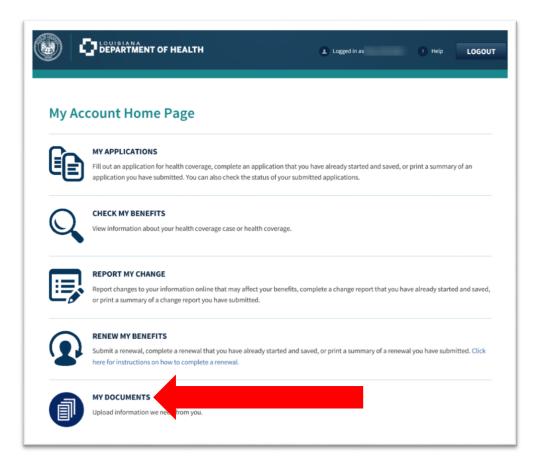


Figure 15-My Account Home Page

Step 2: Click on My Documents.

Step 3: When the **My Documents** page appears, scroll to the bottom and look for the **Uploaded Documents** table.

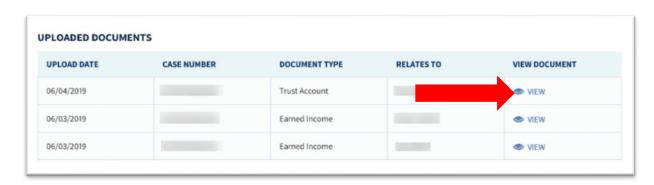


Figure 16-Uploaded Documents Table

If Medicaid received a document, a hyperlink displays with the word **View**. Click on **View** to see the document that you uploaded.

If **N/A** appears in the column titled **View Document**, then Medicaid did not receive a document with that document type.

Section 6 - How Do I Link an Existing Medicaid Case to an SSP Account

If you have an existing Medicaid case, you must link your case to your account in the Self-Service Portal (SSP) before you can upload a document.

Step 1: Log into the SSP. See Subsection 2.3 – How to Log In for help with logging in.

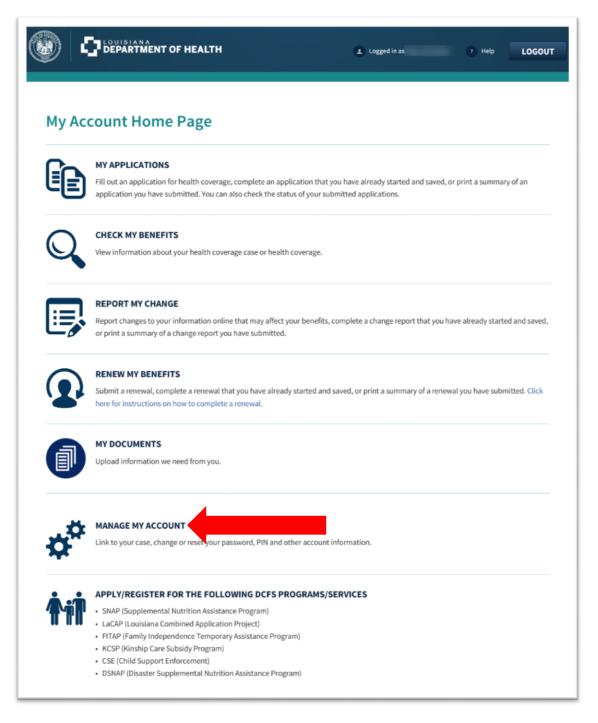


Figure 17-My Account Home Page

Step 2: Click on Manage My Account.

Step 3: The Manage My Account page displays.

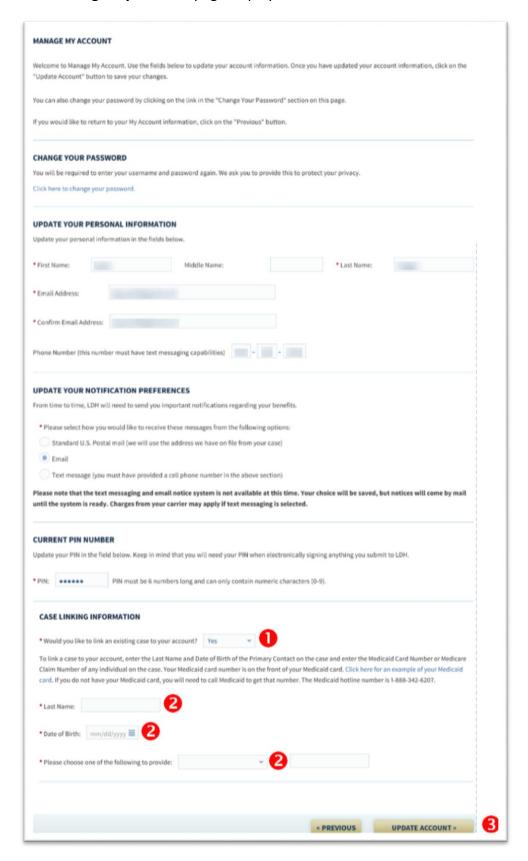


Figure 18-Manage My Account Page

- For the question, "Would you like to link an existing case to your account?" select yes.
- Enter the Last Name and Date of Birth of the Primary Contact. Enter the Medicaid Card Number or Medicare Claim Number of any individual receiving benefits on the case. The Medicaid Card Number is on the front of the Medicaid card.



Figure 19-Healthy Louisiana card

3. Click Update Account.

Step 4: A screen displays to confirm that your account was updated.



Figure 20-Account Updated Successfully Page

You have now linked your Medicaid case to your SSP account and can upload documents in SSP. See Instructions in <u>Section 4 – How Do I Submit Documents if I Have an Existing Medicaid</u>
<u>Case?</u> for help with uploading documents.

Section 7 – Types of Documents

Below is a list of document types that Medicaid may ask for and examples of those documents. If you need help, call Medicaid at 1-888-342-6207.

Document Type	Example
Earned Income	To prove the gross (before deductions) amount of money you get from a job, provide a pay stub or statement from your employer. To prove the amount of money you get from self-employment, provide last year's tax return, including all schedule attachments.
Unearned Income	To prove the gross (before deductions) amount of unearned income you get from sources like retirement, pension, annuities or any other income, provide a tax document like a tax form 1099, or provide a statement or letter from the source showing the current gross amount of income.
Medicaid Bills	Provide a medical bill or statement to prove the amount you owe the medical provider. If you have a primary insurance, such as Blue Cross or Medicare, then Medicaid will need to know the amount owed after your primary insurance has paid.
Treatment for Breast or Cervical Cancer	Provider a medical report from an approved provider in the Louisiana Breast and Cervical Health Program. See the list of approved providers at www.lbchp.org.
Transfer of Resource Acknowledgment	To prove the transfer of items that you gave away, provide a courthouse record, act of donation, signed agreement of donation, or bill of sale. Also, provide a statement of the values of any items that were given away.
Date of Death Info	To prove the date of death, provide a death certificate or obituary.
Health Coverage Details	To prove health insurance coverage details, provide copies of the front and back of the health insurance cards.
Immigration Status	To prove immigration status, provide a copy of the permanent resident card or other forms from U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services.
Pregnancy	To prove pregnancy, provide a medical report showing the expected date of delivery.
Social Security Number	To prove the Social Security Number, provide a copy of the Social Security card.
US Citizenship	To prove U.S. Citizenship, provide a copy of a birth certificate, U.S. Passport or hospital birth record.

Bank Accounts	To prove the amount of money available in a bank account, provide all pages of the most recent bank statements for all bank accounts, showing names on the accounts, account numbers, name and address of the bank, and all deposits and withdrawals for accounts.
Burial Plot	To prove the value of burial plots, provide copies of statements that show the values of burial spaces and how much is owed.
Life Insurance	To prove the value of life insurance, provide copies of all life and burial policies.
Property	To prove the value of the real property, like a home or property, provide a statement showing the fair market value as stated by someone who has knowledge of determining fair market values, like an appraiser or realtor. Also, provide proof of what percentage of the property is owned by the applicant.
Stocks and Bonds	To prove the value of stocks and bonds, send copies of statements showing the current values.
Trust Account	To prove the value of trust accounts, send a copy of trust documents filed at the courthouse.
Vehicle Value	For vehicles, send a copy of the title or vehicle registration. Medicaid will use the value as listed online on the National Automobile Dealers Association (NADA) site.
Other Resource	For other resources, send legal documents showing proof of ownership and statements showing the current value.
Other Document	If you need help to determine what documents to send, call Medicaid at 1-888-342-6207.

